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AN ACT

**AMENDING SECTION 48-5503, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO SPECIAL
HEALTH CARE DISTRICTS.**

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:
2 Section 1. Section 48-5503, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to
3 read:

4 48-5503. Term of office: election

5 A. FOR A SPECIAL HEALTH CARE DISTRICT ESTABLISHED PURSUANT TO SECTION
6 48-5501.01 IN A COUNTY WITH A POPULATION OF TWO MILLION OR MORE PERSONS,
7 directors shall serve staggered four year terms of office beginning on the
8 first Monday immediately following the declaration of election to office.

9 B. FOR ALL OTHER SPECIAL HEALTH CARE DISTRICTS, DIRECTORS SHALL SERVE
10 NONSTAGGERED FOUR YEAR TERMS OF OFFICE BEGINNING ON THE FIRST MONDAY
11 IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE DECLARATION OF ELECTION TO OFFICE.

12 C. Elections shall be held ~~on either the fourth Tuesday in~~
13 ~~February, the second Tuesday in June or the first Tuesday after the first~~
14 ~~Monday in November of every even numbered year AS PRESCRIBED IN SECTION~~
15 16-204. If only one person files a nominating petition for an election to
16 fill a position on the board of directors for which the term of office is to
17 expire, the board of directors may cancel the election for that position and
18 appoint the person who filed a nominating petition to fill the position.
19 Vacancies occurring other than by expiration of term may be filled by the
20 remaining members of the board of directors.